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RE: Reconnaissance Level Characterization Report (RLCR) for Group C Facilities

Dear Mr. Legare:

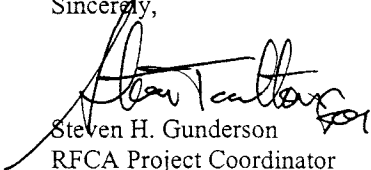
The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division (the Division) has reviewed the RLCR for Group C Facilities, Revision 0 (dated August 9, 2000) received on September 13, 2000. The Group C RLCR includes T331A, T331, T771D, T750E, T903A, B331A and B987. The Division is hereby concurring with the Type 1 designation for T331A, T331, T771D, T750E, T903A, and B987 as identified in the Group C RLCR.

The Division does not concur at this time with the Type 1 designation for B331A because of concerns with the elevated radioactive material that was detected on the roof. The roof of B331A is identified in section 2.1, page 11, as being constructed of "Transite". Since this is not the same material, nor similar roof surface as the other trailers (which are metal roofs), the Division is concerned with the inference made that the elevated reading is due to Po-210 and not DOE-added material. Please provide specific information that identifies the nature of this radioactive material, and/or specific remediation to be performed, or re-classification as a Type 2 building.

In addition, the 4 cement footers under B331A need to be characterized for proper disposal. As such, please indicate the characterization to be performed and disposition of these cement footers. Table 5-1 also needs to be modified to include these footers as part of the Waste to be generated from B331A, as concrete waste.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence please contact David Kruchek at (303) 692-3328.

Sincerely,


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